

1971

Mumps Spread Throughout County Schools

4 Feb 1971

There have been quite a few cases of mumps in the valley this winter and there continues to be new cases. Mumps is a viral disease characterized by fever, and by swelling and tenderness of one or more salivary glands, usually the parotid. Orchitis, which may result in sterility, occurs in 20-35% of the males. Oophoritis, pancreatitis, neuritis, arthritis, mastitis and pericarditis (inflammation of the sac surrounding the heart) may also occur.

Mumps virus is found in the saliva of infected persons and the disease may be spread by contact with the saliva or articles freshly soiled with it. All dishes should be soaked in hot detergent solution for about 20 minutes, washed and rinsed with hot water. Never should anyone else's towel be used. This is always good practice because many communicable diseases are most contagious before symptoms such as a rash are obvious. People who have the mumps should remain home from school or work until the swelling has subsided. A physician should be consulted. It is recommended that those persons not having had the mumps be immunized against it by their private physician. This vaccine will not be available at the immunization clinics.

Cancer Detection Clinic to Be Held Here February 20

C. Broadbent Is Bldg. Inspector

Clyde Broadbent was employed February 1, 1971 as Building Inspector and Sanitarian by the Wasatch County Council of Governments. He will issue Building Permits and inspect all buildings while in the process of construction, and will enforce building, heating, plumbing and electrical codes as adopted by ordinance in the County and the incorporated areas of Heber City, Charleston

Feb 18, 1971



Free Clinic Being Sponsored by American Cancer Society

A significant opportunity for women to protect themselves in the continuing fight against cancer will take place Saturday, February 20th, when a free clinic will be conducted by the American Cancer Society.

The clinic will offer physical checkups for all women in Wasatch and Summit Counties at no cost. The examinations will concentrate on symptoms of breast and uterine cancer — the most common forms of malignancy to strike Utah women — and will include the simple Pap smear test.

A TEAM OF VOLUNTEER doctors and nurses, with Dr. Adolph M. Nielsen, a Salt Lake surgeon, serving as chairman, will conduct the clinic in the Wasatch Stake Center, 150 N. 2nd West, Heber City.

Registration for the clinic will be from 10 a. m. to 3 p. m. on the day of the clinic. Efforts are being made to contact every woman in the county about the event.

THE FREE SURVEY is part of the Virginia Whitney Memorial Project — a project to conduct cancer examinations in rural areas of the State where there are few physicians. The

body. This effective treatment is the compelling reason that all women should have a thorough cancer examination each year.

In cases where the clinic finds a reason for a follow-up examination, the woman will be referred to her own family physician for any necessary tests or treatment. Many such referrals are made at each clinic, but they seldom have anything to do with cancer.

EQUIPMENT AND VOLUNTEER doctors for the clinic are provided through the Utah Division of the American Cancer Society. Equipment for the clinic is transported by the Ryder Truck Rental, Inc. The Virginia Whitney Project is headed by Dr. Nielsen and Mrs. Barbara Prince, Salt Lake City, as co-chairwoman.

The project is supported by funds raised through a golf contest at links throughout the State each year. It is named after a Utah woman who gained national attention for her own example in being a success in life despite being afflicted with cancer for seventeen years.

Feb 11, 1971
**Immunization
Clinic Now
Has Tick Vaccine**

Immunization clinics, starting this Friday will again provide tick vaccine. We had been advised that the production of this has been stopped but it has again been made available to us by special request of Dr. Green, Wasatch County Director of Health.

Due to the great number of ticks usually found in this part of the country, it is recommended that those who spend a great deal of time out of doors or have contact with animals, be immunized against Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever commonly called "Tick." This disease is fatal in about 20 per cent of the untreated cases.

The clinics will again be held in the Courthouse for adults, pre-school children, and kindergarten children from 11 'till 12:30 p. m. Other school children will be bussed in after lunch.

Clinics start February 12th and continues every other Friday through May 21st. Cost per immunization will be .80. School children **MUST** also bring with them a completely filled-in vaccine request form.

County Women Invited to Free Cancer Clinic Saturday

Drug Abuse Aired at Wasatch Symposium

On Wednesday, February 3rd, a drug and alcohol abuse symposium was held at the Wasatch County High School. Approximately 200 people, including some 35 high school and junior high students attended. Although the conference began as a drug seminar, it soon directed itself toward a human relationship or communications issue.

THE PROGRAM INVOLVED several guest speakers. The first was Robert L. Leake, Specialist in Health, Physical Education and Recreation for the Utah State Board of Education.

John R. Hicken Named to Clerk Position

John Robert Hicken has been

named to the position of clerk for the Wasatch County High School. He was one of the speakers at the symposium. Dr. Lynn Ravston, Psychologist for the Utah State Hospital, directed his comments toward the role of various peoples and agencies in the prevention of drug and alcohol abuse. He emphasized that the so-called "drug problem" is basically a "people problem."

THE CONFERENCE ALSO had a panel of a dozen selected students who gave their critical reaction toward issues as they personally observed them. Of course, their views were not necessarily held by the majority of Wasatch County

tions made during the course of the February conference.

Those individuals who were involved as members of the planning committee, including local school district, thoroughly appreciate the fact that so many people did attend and were so interested in helping where they could. It is hoped that the very constructive attitude and enthusiasm expressed by the many adults taking part in the symposium will not decline. Hopefully, a followup will be made in an effort to work wherever possible with troubled adolescents in our community.

11 Specialists to Give Free Examinations

Eleven volunteer physicians will staff a free cancer clinic here on Saturday, February 20, 1971, that will offer preventative examinations for hundreds of Wasatch and Summit County women.

Sponsored by the Utah Division of the American Cancer Society, the examinations will test for symptoms of breast and uterine cancer and will include Pap smear tests.

DR. ADOLPH M. NIELSEN.

DR. ADOLPH M. NIELSEN, Salt Lake surgeon and clinic chairman, said the free examinations are particularly helpful because these two types of cancer are the most common malignancies to strike women in both Utah and the United States.

Registration will be held from 10 a. m. to 3 p. m. at the Wasatch Stake Center, Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, 150 North Second West, Heber City.

The free Cancer Society survey is the action arm of the Virginia Whitney Memorial Project, pledged to fight cancer in rural areas of the state where physicians are scarce, Dr. Nielsen said.

LIVES HAVE BEEN SAVED by previous clinics in several areas of the state during the past year-plus, he noted.

Malignancies have been discovered in several cases early enough for treatment to prove effective. Breast and uterine cancer are especially subject to early treatment, Dr. Nielsen pointed out.

In cases where follow-up examinations seem advisable women will be referred to their own doctors.

Funds for the Virginia Whitney Project are raised by an annual contest on Utah Golf courses. This year's contest will be held June 19-20, Dr. Nielsen and Mrs. Barbara Prince, Salt Lake City, project co-chairmen, noted that the project honors a Salt Lake woman golfer who fought a personal losing battle to cancer while contributing her time to fight the disease on a professional level.

Similar clinics are planned for other areas of the state during the year.

Ryder Truck Rental, Inc., provides transport for the needed at the clinics conducted throughout the State.

Immunization Clinic Set for Friday 2/25/71

The second Immunization Clinic will be held this Friday at the Courthouse. DT (Diphtheria & Tetanus) will also be available for those over six years of age. A baby must be at least 2 months old to receive DPT (Diphtheria, Pertussis and Tetanus), and it is not given to a child over 6 years of age.

Life Can Be Beautiful, Investigate AA

26 Feb 1971
by Maren Durtschi
County Health Nurse

I went to a meeting Friday night. It was not a church meeting but there was a spirit of brotherly love such as I have never before experienced. It felt like crying. There people have helped each other overcome their difficulty, and will continue to do so; with understanding, because they themselves at one time wanted to and did overcome their own problem; with help.

These people, or their husbands or wives, or children at some time began to realize that their life or the lives of their loved ones were being hurt or wrecked. They decided that help was needed.

I learned a great deal that night. No one is able to admit that they are an alcoholic until they have reached their very own "Rock Bottom" and therefore cannot be helped by AA (Alcoholics Anonymous) until they want and ask for help.

Al Anon and Al Ateen are organizations for the wives and children of excessive drinkers. If you live with someone who drinks and you are becoming nervous, fidgety, losing weight, or if you are spending much time worrying about the drinker, his actions and their consequences, or if your family's financial status has lowered then Al Anon or Al Ateen can help you to solve problems due to alcoholism in your home; help you by sharing experiences, strength and hope with others in similar circumstances; help you to improve your own emotional health, and help you provide a more wholesome environment for the whole family including the alcoholic, drunk or sober.

Feb. 26, 1971 505 Women Attend Local Cancer Clinic

A significant opportunity for women to protect themselves in the continuing fight against cancer was well taken advantage of, as 505 women turned out for the free cancer clinic held on Saturday in Heber City, sponsored by the American Cancer Society.

The clinic offered examinations that concentrated on the symptoms of breast and uterine cancer, the most common forms of malignancy to strike in Utah women. The physical checkup also included the Pap smear test. Educational films were shown and informative pamphlets were distributed throughout the day.

MRS FLORENCE NIELSON, Wasatch County Chairman, with 20 years' service in the Cancer Society, stated that this clinic produced the largest turnout of any that has been held throughout the state of Utah. The tests, she said, will now be read in various laboratories and where the clinic found reason for a follow-up examination, the results would be sent to the individual's private physician where he would then contact the individual to arrange for the necessary tests or treatment. Many such referrals are made at each clinic, but they seldom

have anything to do with cancer. Mrs. Neilson had made application for this clinic a year ago through the American Cancer Society Board of Directors. The clinic is offered free to rural areas found to be in need of such a program, by the Virginia Whitney Memorial Project.

MR. CURTIS McMULLIN, Field representative of the Central Utah District was in charge of the clinic. He was aided by Mr. Owen Rouse, Director of the Ogden Office, and Mr. Robert Hall, Provo, Executive Director of the Central Utah Division. Mr. Preston Adams, State Crusade Chairman visited the clinic throughout the day.

The team of volunteer doctors under the direction of Dr. Dr. Adolph Neilsen included: Dr. C. Smith, Dr. R. Raymond Green, Dr. Jack Watkins, Dr. James Woriski, Dr. Robert Mathesson, Dr. Howard Sharp and Dr. Charles Smart.

Nurses who donated their services under the direction of Maren Durtsch, Wasatch County Health Nurse, were Jean Spader, Leah Houtz, Carol Glathar, Maren Durtschi, Wasatch Countess Taylor, Ruth Peterson and Kay Giles. Lois Bonner and Beth Moulton were also on call.

MRS CLARA EPPERSON, President of the Daughters of the Pioneers, provided a lunch for the workers along with Emily Conrad, Vera Cummings, Nelda Lee, Marie Murray, Della Webber and Oral Kuhn.

Others to donate their services were Leda Greer, Alyce Ashton, Marilyn Edwards and Linda Duffin, Susan Crook, Michelle Horner, Peggy Mountford, Rick Green, Richard Knight, Mike Green, Ricky Carlile, Jeff Mountford, John Turner and Lynn Van Wagoner.

Missed at the Cancer Clinic was Mrs. Bertha Clyde of Heber City who holds the honors of being the longest worker for the American Cancer Society in the State of Utah. Mrs. Clyde was prevented from taking part due to an illness.

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State to Manage All Deer Creek Sports

Development, operation, and administration of all recreational facilities and uses at the Deer Creek Reservoir will be administered by the Utah Department of Natural Resources. This action was announced today in a joint resolution by Gordon Harmston, Director of the Department of Natural Resources; D. L. Crandall, Regional Director, Bureau of Reclamation; and Harold Mendenhall, Superintendent of the Provo River Water Users' Association.

DEER CREEK RESERVOIR, located on the Provo River about 6 miles northeast of Provo has provided boating and excellent fishing since it was completed in 1941. Recreation at the reservoir has been administered in the past by the Provo River Water Users' Association. The Association has provided 3 boat camps on the east shore which cater to fishermen, said Mr. Mendenhall. These camps will continue in operation until new facilities are completed.

Legislation that authorized the Provo River Project and Deer Creek Dam did not provide funds for recreational fa-

cilities. Therefore, the planned recreational improvements will be provided through the cooperative efforts of Federal and State Agencies and at the same time, the local environment of the reservoir area will be enhanced.

FOUR NEW RECREATION-al areas are now to be provided at the reservoir. The areas were designed by the National Park Service. They are to be developed and supervised by the Utah Department of Natural Resources. Funds for development will be provided by both the Federal and State Governments. Under Public Law 89-72, the Federal Government will provide up to \$50,000 over a 4-year period from 1972 to 1976. State funds will be expended as soon as they are made available.

"The major recreational area, to be located 1 mile northeast of Deer Creek Dam, will be known as Wallsburg Point," stated Mr. Harmston. "The area is characterized by gently rolling terrain and is directly accessible from U. S. Highway 189. The hill offer necessary protection for a marina. To the west is an excellent scenic view of the reservoir and majestic Mt. Timpanogos.

WHEN COMPLETED, Wallsburg Point will include a boat ramp, campgrounds, a trailer village, picnic areas, a fish-cleaning station, water and sanitary facilities, and a marina development with food, fishing and camping supplies. Shade trees and other landscaping will be provided. In general, the area will be developed into an attractive and efficient recreation site situated in a beautiful alpine setting.

Wallsburg Point is to be supplemented by three smaller developments. Rainbow Bay and Center Bay on the east shore will provide roadside rest stops and day use facilities. Decker Creek on the west shoreline will be accessible to boaters only and will include a shoreline boat camp and picnic areas.

MR. HARMSTON EXPLAIN-ed that the \$7 State Recreational Pass will be honored this year at the Deer Creek recreational areas; otherwise a fee of \$1 per day will be charged for their use. Water skiing also will be enjoyed at the reservoir under the supervision of the Department of Natural Resources.

Deer Creek Dam was completed in 1941 by the Bureau of Reclamation as part of the Provo River Project. Mr. Crandall explained that project water stored in Deer Creek Reservoir is being used for the supplemental irrigation of highly developed farmlands in Utah and Salt Lake Counties and for domestic purposes in Utah and Salt Lake Counties. The water is also used for electric power generation at the Deer Creek Powerplant.

Immunization Clinic To Be Held on Friday

The Immunization Clinic will again be held this Friday, Mar. 12th at the Courthouse between 11:00 A. M. and 2:00 P. M. 233 immunizations were given at the last clinic, 97 of them being against Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever.

Vaccination request forms are sent home with each grade school child Wednesday prior to each clinic. Junior and Senior High students may pick them up in the school office. Each child must bring his own, filled in and signed, form with him to the clinic.

HEBER VALLEY, UTAH

MOUNT TIMPANOGOS
THE SLEEPING INDIAN MAIDEN
ELEVATION: 12008 FT.

ALPINE LOOP ROAD
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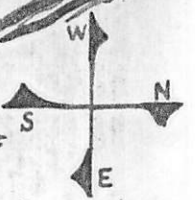
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FOREST SERVICE CAMP

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NYAL ANDERSON

LONG LAKE

GRANDDADY LAKES

BEST FISHING
IN UTAH

WALL LAKE

TRIAL LAKE

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Amblyopia Clinic

Set for Next ^{3/25/71}
Week by Dept.

Two Amblyopia Clinics for 4 and 5 year-olds will be held next week on Friday, April 2nd and Monday, April 5th in the Multipurpose Room at the Courthouse between 9:30 A. M. and 12:00 noon. Two films, of interest to parents, will show continuously during the mornings to those waiting.

Amblyopia is a condition of blindness which is caused by the disuse of an eye before the age of 7 years. Eyesight develops only as a child uses his eyes and only until 7 years old. If for some reason such as muscle imbalance, astigmatism, far or near-sightedness in one eye, the child will use the better eye and develop vision in that eye, while the development of sight is stepped in the other eye. If this is found early enough the underlying condition may be corrected so that vision may continue to develop in both eyes.

These Clinics are sponsored by the Board of Health and any child who is suspected of having some visual difficulty will be referred by the county nurse for further examination.

Smallpox Anybody

3-25-71

tain immunity the vaccination should be repeated every 3 to 5 years.

Persons traveling to foreign countries are required to have a Smallpox vaccination certified on an International Certificate of Vaccination before leaving the United States. This is good for three years. This is part of the global smallpox eradication by the World Health Organization.

There have been no Smallpox epidemics recently in the United States but in 1969 there have been some cases in Brazil

An immunization clinic will again be held this Friday, Mar. 26th at the Courthouse between 11 A. M. and 12:30 P. M. for adults, pre-school and kindergarten. School children will again be taken by bus.

Judging from the number of Smallpox Vaccination given at the clinics, it is felt that the level of immunity against Smallpox might be very low in our community.

Children may receive a Smallpox Vaccination at 12 months of age and again prior to entering school. In order to maintain

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March 31, 1971

Wasatch County Commissioners
County Courthouse
Heber City, Utah

Re: Strawberry Valley Area Sanitation

Dear Commissioners:

Since the first meeting of the Wasatch County Board of Health, its members have been concerned about the humanity impact on the Strawberry Valley Fishing Area and the pollution and ecological problems of such impact.

Historically, the Health Board has met with four agencies of the Utah State and Federal Government who are concerned with these problems.

We have met with the Strawberry Water Users Association and their individual concessionaires on at least two occasions. We have outlined individual deficiencies in sanitation control and asked that certain improvements be made on a minimal basis knowing full well that they cannot meet full standards due to their uncertain future.

We are gravely concerned about pollutions of water supplies, improper disposal of sewage and solid wastes when suddenly 10,000 to 20,000 people descend into that valley at fishing season.

Our efforts with the principal concessionaires and their lessors have borne little fruit.

Specifically, we find (1) inadequate flush toilet sewage disposals, (2) inadequate number of privies to take care of the number of people who use the area, and (3) garbage facilities of the county not being utilized.

*Call was
Knudsen*

Request for Information

DD FORM 10 (Rev. 1-60)

1. NAME OF THE ORGANIZATION OR INDIVIDUAL

2. ADDRESS

3. CITY, STATE, ZIP

4. COUNTRY

5. TITLE OF THE PROJECT OR SUBJECT MATTER
6. BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PROJECT OR SUBJECT MATTER

7. DATE OF COMPLETION OF THE PROJECT OR SUBJECT MATTER

8. NAME OF THE PERSON OR PERSONS WHOSE INFORMATION IS BEING REQUESTED
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It is our recommendation that (1) Fish & Game accept some responsibility for the fishermen and (2) close by injunction all concessionaires and water users camping operations.

Respectfully,

DR. R. RAYMOND GREEN

Volunteer Health Workers Cited

4-8-71 4-8-71
Volunteer workers from the Health Committees of the PTA and nurses who give their time, make clinics in Wasatch County possible. The Health Department expresses its appreciation to all those who have helped and who will continue to help so that people of the County may have the opportunity to attend these clinics.

An Immunization Clinic will again be held this Friday, April 9th starting at 11:30 A. M. at the Courthouse. A film entitled "Magic Touch" (designed to counter apprehension in regard to immunization) will be shown to the grade school children as they go through the clinic.

An Amblyopia or Lazy Eye Clinic was held last Friday and Monday and another is being planned for the Fall.

Still Time to Start Your Tick Shots

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There will be another immunization clinic this Friday, April 23rd at the Courthouse. There will be only two more clinics after this one. A series of Tick immunization may still be started at this clinic so that it will be completed with three doses each given two weeks apart.

Adults, pre-school and kindergarten children still come between 11:00 A. M. and 12:30 P.M. School children will be bussed in later. They still need to bring an Immunization Request Form completely filled in. These are sent home on Wednesday or Thursday from the grade schools with each child. Parents must sign a form for Junior and Senior High School students who are to have an immunization. The forms may be picked up in their school office and also at the Board of Health Office.

FFA County-wide Clean-Up Drive Is Set for Monday

APR 1971

The Wasatch Chapter of the FFA is sponsoring a County-wide Clean-Up program as a community service project on Monday, May 10th beginning at 12:00 noon.

As part of this ecological and environmental project, the students from the Wasatch High School and the Wasatch Junior High School will combine with the faculties of these two schools in an effort to clean up the entire county.

The State Highway Dept., Wasatch County, and Heber City will be cooperating with their personnel and equipment to help clean up the highways and roads of the county.

The entire county will be divided into areas and groups with faculty advisors will go to pre-assigned areas in buses provided by the Wasatch County School District. From there the groups will begin cleaning up the areas and loading the materials in trucks which will carry it to the dump.

Wasatch County and Heber City will furnish all workers with a weiner roast and pop when the project is completed.

All people in the county are urged to cooperate in placing all materials to be hauled away in front of their home, where it will be loaded and carried away.

The FFA Chapter would like to invite all interested people with trucks and other equipment to join in and support this fine community service project which is an effort to make the county a more desirable place in which to live.



RUBBISH COLLECTED—Wasatch High School and Jr. High School collected some of this pile of rubbish from roadways and streets in the County.

High Schools Conduct

Successful Clean-Up

APR 28-1971

The Future Farmers of America had their Community Service Clean-up on May 10th. It was a very successful clean-up with approximately 850 high school and Jr. High students and faculty members participating. All of the main roads in the county were covered and should be clean. Approximately 35 loads of rubbish including tree limbs, dead animals, paper, bottles, beer cans, boards, etc., were picked up and hauled to the trash pile. It is hoped that the citizens of the community will appreciate the efforts put

forth by the students and you will think twice about littering our area in which we live.

The FFA Chapter would like to thank the Jr. High and High School Studentbodies, faculty, County, City, state employees and officials, school board and all others who helped make this effort a success.

Let's keep Wasatch County clean and beautiful. It's you the people who live here and it's the outsiders who look and compliment our county as they pass through.

5-5-71
**Wasatch Orders
Camping Ban
On Strawberry**

Special to The Tribune

HEBER CITY — The Wasatch County Board of Health Thursday issued a ban against all overnight camping around Strawberry Reservoir.

The ban, according to a spokesman for the board, came after the county board and State Health Division discussed pollution of the reservoir.

The spokesman said the ban came when health officials learned that camp and trailer site operators have not done anything to handle sewage disposal.

Some camp operators have installed 50-gallon septic tanks which meet neither state nor county health codes.

The operators have been told for several years to put in adequate sewage disposal units, the county health board spokesman said.

The restriction does not effect residents of the area or use of the loading ramps, he said, just the trailer parks and overnight camping areas.

5/5/71
-NOTICE-

Numerous complaints have been received by the Wasatch County Board of Health concerning individuals dumping garbage, animal carcasses, etc., along roadways and on private property. This practice is in direct violation of the County Ordinances. Any individual found in violation of this ordinance will be prosecuted.

We encourage you to take advantage of the new county sanitary land fill.

Wasatch Board Sets Rules For Strawberry Camping

Only those persons with self-contained camping units including water supplies and waste disposal facilities will be allowed to camp at Strawberry Reservoir, the Wasatch County Board of Health announced Friday.

Dr. Larry B. Duke, board chairman, issued the statement following a State Capitol meeting called by John E. (Bud) Phelps, fish and game director.

"Water supply and waste disposal facilities at Strawberry will be inadequate to serve the usual crowd expected opening day," the statement read.

"Therefore camping will be authorized only for those persons having the facilities to supply their own water and to dispose of their wastes in a sanitary manner.

"Water will not be available to serve any of the trailer or cabin areas except the one administered by the Forest Service at Bryant's Fork," the statement concluded.

Thursday, the Strawberry Waterusers' Assn. announced while it would not bar anglers from the area and would not charge a camping fee, it would not provide any sanitation or waste disposal facilities.

Next to Last Clinic Set For Immunization 5/6/71

There will be an Immunization Clinic again this Friday, May 7th at the usual time. A film will be shown entitled "Emmy Immunity" to elementary school children.

There will be only one more clinic held this spring on May 21st.

Talks Fail to Solve Issues At Strawberry Reservoir

5/12/71
Special to The Tribune

HEBER CITY — Solutions to sanitary and camping problems at Strawberry Reservoir were explored Tuesday by representatives of several state and federal agencies and the Wasatch County Board of Health.

No conclusions were reached, however.

Dr. Larry Duke, director, Wasatch County Health Department, said the issues are still under consideration. The reservoir, he said, will be open to fishing this year, but no licenses will be issued to owners of permanent trailer parks in the area unless they can meet state and county health codes.

The only overnight camping facility now open at the reservoir, he said, is Bryant's Fork on the west side of the lake. This area, he added, is not large and won't begin to handle the flood of campers and fishermen expected at the reservoir this summer.

About 30 persons attended the meeting, including owners of cabins and trailers now located at the reservoir. The owners asked why water and permits would not be issued to those who now have sanitation tanks.

They were told that none of the sanitation facilities at the cabins and trailers meets health codes and no permits will be issued until the facilities are improved.

Provo Herald. 13 May 1911

Permanent Trailer Parks

In Strawberry Reservoir Area to Be Shut Down

HEBER CITY.—Dr. Larry Duke, chairman of the Wasatch County Board of Health, announced a decision to definitely close all permanent trailer parks located in the Strawberry Reservoir area.

The water will not be turned on and any camp operator found operating will be prosecuted, with each day in operation without a license counting as a separate offense.

The decision was made at a meeting Tuesday where state and county boards of health met with the Parks Services and cabin owners to try to work out a solution to the pollution problem existing in Strawberry Valley.

The only group not represented was the Strawberry Users who are in control of the facilities at Strawberry Reservoir.

Dr. Duke stated that the Wasatch County Board of Health was organized in 1909 and the first order of business then was to clean up Strawberry. Since that time the Utah State Board of Health has received more complaints about sanitary conditions existing in Strawberry than in any other part of the state.

No attempt to submit plans to the state board of health has ever been made by the Strawberry Users despite the number of times they were consulted about the problem.

He also stated that many people do have adequate sewage disposal and should be commended for trying to keep the area clean. He said that he does not like to see everyone suffer, but there is no possible way to shut off the water to individual trailers.

The Wasatch County Board of Health received oral support from Ellis R. Shields, state chief sanitarian, who stated, "We have a code we did not write and it has to be followed. Health laws are retroactive and the people have to meet standards. The existing regulations require that a 750 gallon septic tank be used."

He also stated that the Wasatch County Health Board is right in this matter and "we will back them to the limit." The group also received full support from the state attorney general's office in enforcing the policies.

The only alternative presented at the meeting was the possibility of the Strawberry Water Users turning over their revenue to a responsible agency such as the State Parks Division, who would then assume the responsibility of Strawberry.

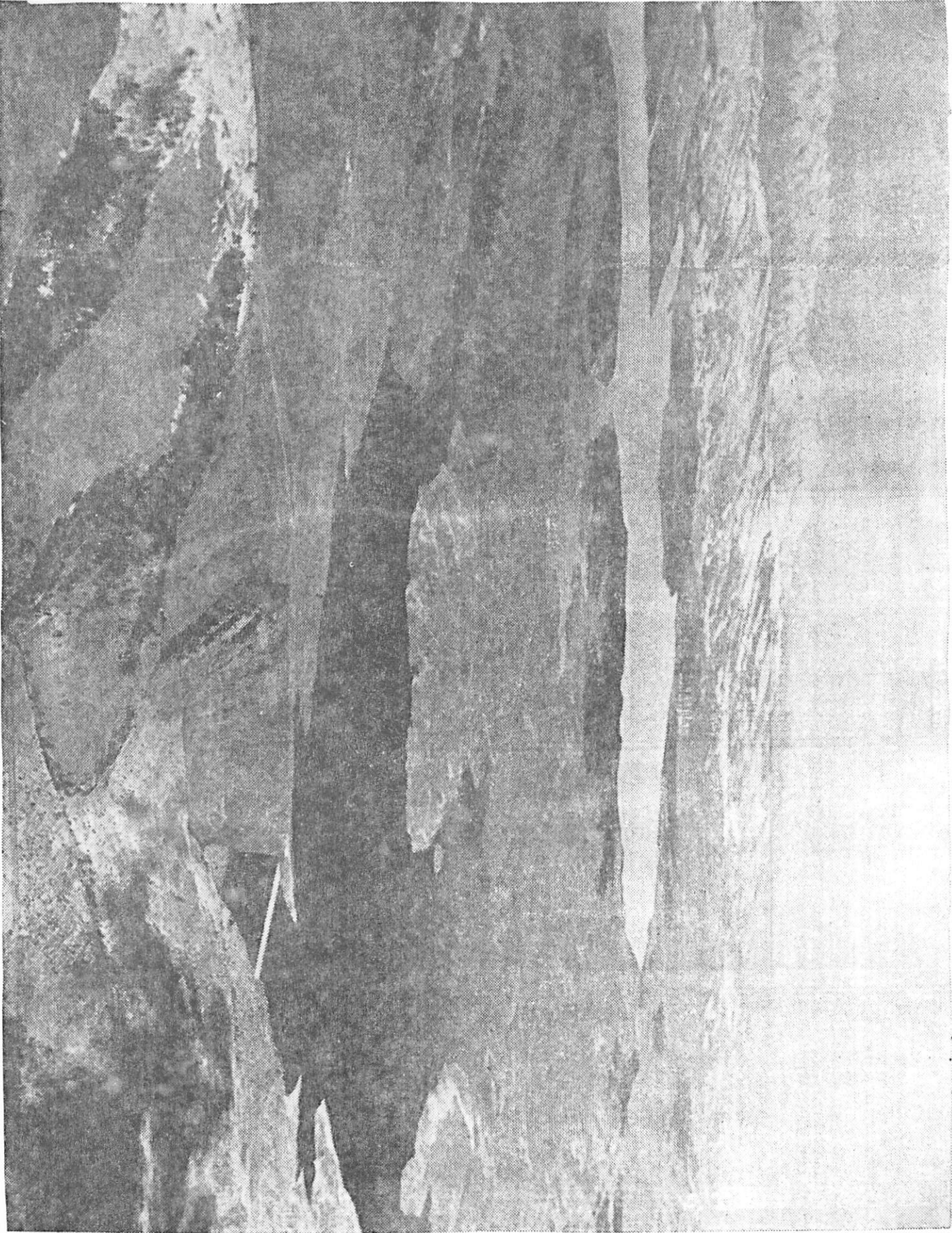
At this time the only overnight facility open will be Bryan Fork on the west side of the reservoir. This area is not large and will not handle the flood of fishermen expected this summer at the reservoir.

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STRAWBERRY UNHEALTHY—Wasatch County's popular fishing water has been closed to overnight camping by action of the Wasatch County Board of Health. Potential health hazards to persons using the camping

areas around the lake due to inadequate sanitary facilities and failure to comply with state and county health codes was listed as cause of the closure. Camp operators cite lake enlargement would destroy facilities placed now.

Strawberry Reservoir - Wasatch County Cesspool?

5-13-71

The Wasatch County Board of Health Tuesday reiterated an earlier decision in Heber City Tuesday that permanent trailer camps around Strawberry Reservoir will not be allowed to

operate unless they install sewage containers meeting state and county health codes. The meeting held at the Wasatch Wheel Cafe was attended by representatives of various camps.

Pollution at Strawberry, primarily from the permanent camps, "has become a serious problem approaching health hazards," health officials said.

STRAWBERRY WATER Users Association officials and camp operators said it "was not practical to make major changes in overnight facilities because the lake will be enlarged in the next year or two under the Central Utah Project. Then we would just have to do it all over again.

Dr. Larry Duke, board of health director, said the camp operators had been warned

prior to the 1970 season that if they did not comply with state and county health ordinances licenses to operate would be denied. "Most of them did absolutely nothing, and last summer most were able to get by with it," Duke said.

"BUT IF THEY TRY THE same thing this year, after having plenty of time to install the proper sewage tanks, then they will be served with a summons to appear in court." Several camp operators were served with summonses last year for part of the fishing season, but they will be on notice all year this time, Duke said.

Fish and game division officials said the popular fishing lake drawing some 15,000 anglers on opening day last year alone, would be open again this year

during the regular season May 29-Nov. 30. The Bryant's Fork campground, absorbing perhaps a hundred of that 15,000 will be the only designated campground with toilet facilities open.

PRESUMABLY CAMPERS & trailers parking around the lake for a single night will be allowed, but water will be denied any campers or trailers for permanent hookups.

LaVar Ware, regional supervisor, Utah Fish-Game Division said he was hopeful something

Camp operators have complained that if they are not allowed to rent trailer and camping facilities for the opening weekend that they will lose a large part of their potential seasonal profit.

Wasatch Orders Camping Ban On Strawberry

Special to The Tribune

HEBER CITY — The Wasatch County Board of Health Thursday issued a ban against all overnight camping around Strawberry Reservoir.

The ban, according to a spokesman for the board, came after the county board and State Health Division discussed pollution of the reservoir.

The spokesman said the ban came when health officials learned that camp and trailer site operators have not done anything to handle sewage disposal.

Some camp operators have installed 50-gallon septic tanks which meet neither state nor county health codes.

The operators have been told for several years to put in adequate sewage disposal units, the county health board spokesman said.

The restriction does not effect residents of the area or use of the loading ramps, he said, just the trailer parks and overnight camping areas.

5/5/71

Camping to Be Permitted At Strawberry

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"Fishing and temporary overnight camping — providing that water is furnished by the camper and that waste is not disposed of in or near to Strawberry Reservoir — will be allowed for the Utah General Trout opener May 29."

~~THE~~ WEEKEND statement was made by a Wasatch County Health Dept. official clearing any doubt from the minds of those anglers planning on opening their fish season at this popular Wasatch County reservoir.

Meeting with state health officials meeting at the State Capitol Building, Wasatch health officials reiterated an earlier statement that permanent camping, requiring an on the spot water supply, will be not allowed.

WCHB CHAIRMAN, Dr. Larry Duke said that this specifically rules out any water being supplied or hooked into trailers and campers around the lake. Those permanent camp operators who do so are in violation of the state health code, unless installing septic tanks which comply with state and county regulations, Duke said.

The complete WCHB statement: "Water supply at waste disposal facilities at Strawberry Reservoir are inadequate to serve the usual and expected opening day fishing crowd. Therefore camping is authorized

only for those who supply their own water and dispose of wastes away from the lake in a sanitary manner."

"WATER WILL NOT BE available to serve any of the trailers or cabin areas, except the one administered by the U. S. Forest Service at the Bryant Fork campground."

The latter campground is capable of holding on several dozen units, as compared to the thousands, expected for the opening weekend of fishing.

Outdoor Roundup

Strawberry Reservoir Faces Litter Problem

Strawberry Reservoir is famous as a producer of fat, fast growing trout so it is no wonder that it annually attracts more visitors than any other water in our state. It also follows that sanitation and litter problems compound in direct relation to those visitor numbers.

Substantial efforts by the Water Users, camp owners, Forest service and individuals alike have been made in recent years to better what was a rapidly deteriorating problem brought on by our people-recreation explosion. Now the Wasatch County Health authorities are proposing more drastic sanitary rules which could considerably limit use of this area in the open weather season ahead.

Space here does not permit detailing of the total problem or proposed actions nor can anyone quarrel with the need for greater sanitation and less litter. Nor are there any quick, simple solutions to fully fill the needs there unless someone comes up with more money than your scribbler can see on the immediate horizon.

As this is written we would forecast an easing of these new rules to allow much the same kind of public use and access as in recent years. How long they are relaxed will depend on how you and I the user lend our hands to better this sanitation-litter problem.

Something to think about and remember as you head for this famous old fishing pond come May 29. As you THINK about it remember we are the problem and go prepared to leave the area cleaner than you found it.

Wes Cherry called a fish and game office number as he had been doing for years and, when the answer came "Division of Wildlife Resources," hung up thinking he had gotten a wrong number.

Wes is only one of many who is going to find it difficult to become used to Wildlife Resources as the new name for this state agency called Fish & Game ever since statehood in 1896. And we agree that it is time taking to change old habits of long standing.

The new name became official May 11, as part of a completely revised code of laws covering management of these natural resources became law. It followed favorable consideration of the 48 page omnibus bill by the legislature, the Governors signature in agreement, and a 60 day waiting period before it was official.

The new title is in keeping with the new code of laws which gives broad authority to the Division, the Wildlife Board, and the Board of Big Game Control to

manage, protect and propagate ALL wildlife resources of the State rather than the limited scope of the old code covering only the game wildlife.

This extension of authority over all wildlife is in proper and good hands since no other arm of state government has the people with the experience and expertise to handle the job. Also, it comes none too soon if we are to perpetuate many wildlife species which have received little or no attention or management in the past.

Look now for many future changes and additions in the management of our wildlife resources — and look with pride at this new wildlife code as we become used to the new title which abodes a better future for all wildlife.

Odds and Ends

Creel checks of major waters last year show Fish Lake in Wevier County list more fish to the creel per angling hour expended. — Lacking the license fees of some 80,000 non-residents who fish and hunt in Utah we 400,000 resident license buyers would need pay double what we now pay for our licenses to perpetuate the present programs. — Mackinaw (Lake trout) are common to only two waters in our state — namely Bear and Fish Lakes. They are the longest lived and grow to the be the biggest of all our game fishes — Better plan now to settle for fishing a stillwater come May 29, as the melt of an above normal snow pack forecasts high, roily streams for that period into mid-June.

Yours for fun,
Casey

Strawberry Opener Faces New Curbs On Pollution

By HARTT WIXOM
Environmental Editor

STRAWBERRY RESERVOIR — Campers and trailers, some of them remaining from last fall, are parked in readiness here for Utah's general fish opening Saturday.

And that could be part of the problem, according to the Wasatch County Board of Health.

The board has ruled that overnight camping on the popular fishing lake has had such an adverse pollution effect that camping must now be restricted to units with self-contained water, with sewage disposal away from the lake. Health officials said that Strawberry is becoming so badly contaminated that human health "could be endangered."

What happens Saturday could determine "if we can allow overnight camping there at all," one health official said.

Line Shore

If Saturday's opener is like past years, some 15,000-20,000 people will line every foot of shoreline, and boaters will seek not only good fishing areas, but open fishing areas.

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trailers. The Forest Service has posted other portions of their property along the south side of the lake, "No Camping." There is another camping area, the Lodgepole units at the top of Daniels Canyon, which are eight miles from the lake.

In the meantime, business seems to be going as usual at Strawberry. The Utah Fish-

Game Division egg-taking crews are stripping thousands of cutthroat trout every day. Streams are full of the spawning fish, with conservation officers keeping close vigil. Several poachers have paid \$100 each for catching the fish illegally with hands, nets, and snares.

Stream fishing does not open until July 1.

Utah Fish-Game officers predicted so many anglers on the lake Saturday that "things will be more crowded than the Yellowstone River. Unless you like crowds consider going somewhere else," one officer said.

Among the crowd will be Wasatch County Health officials who will decide Strawberry's future.

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The problem at Strawberry is heightened by the fact that there is only one state or federal camping area nearby, the Bryant's Fork units which will hold some 50 campers or

Soldier Creek Dam Won't Spoil About Fishery in River

Soldier Creek Dam, which will enlarge Strawberry Reservoir to 4 times its present capacity, is about 20% completed. Construction activities that began last November were continued throughout the winter

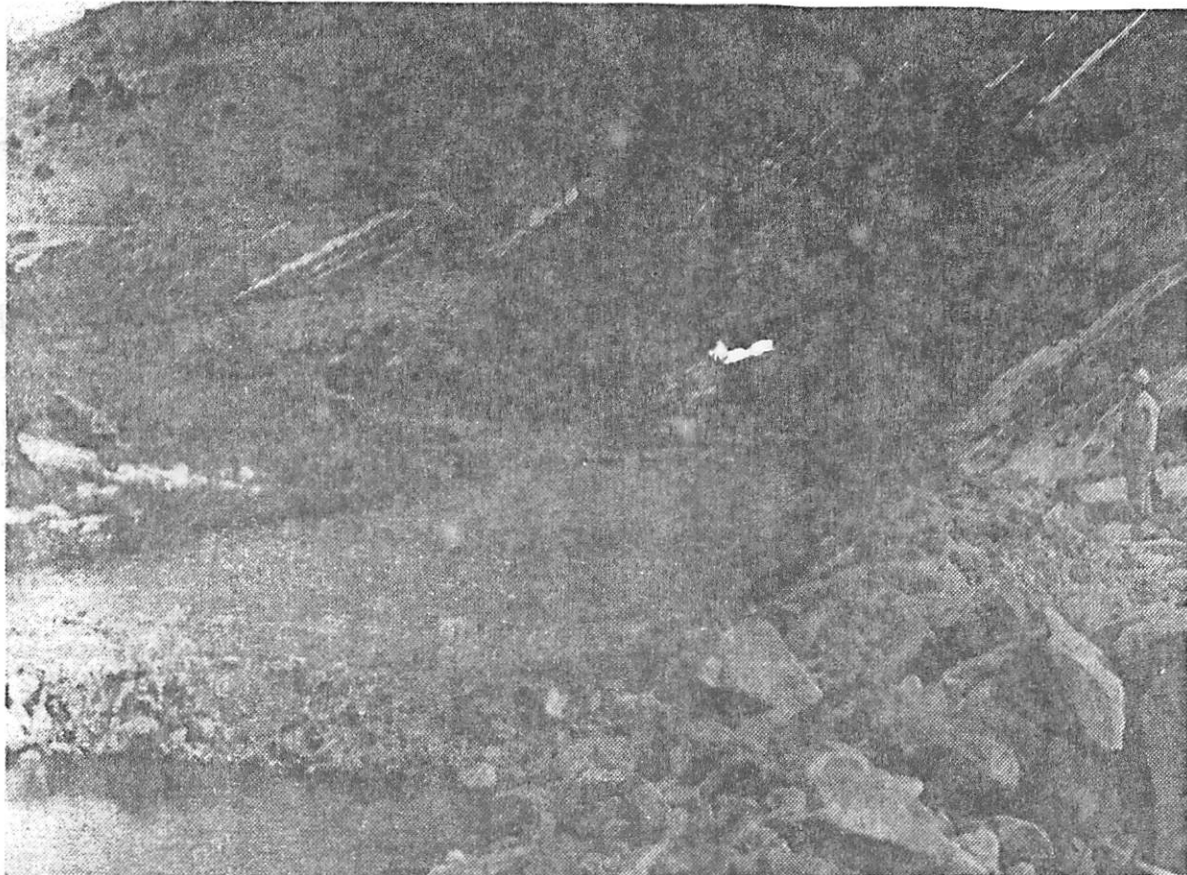
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There will be a special meeting on Friday, April 23, at 7:30 p.m. in the Council Room of the City Hall.

Midway—

garden children still come between 11:00 A. M. and 12:30 P.M. School children will be bussed in later. They still need to bring an Immunization Request Form completely filled in. These are sent home on Wednesday or Thursday from the grade schools with each child. Parents must sign a form for Junior and Senior High School students who are to have an immunization. The forms may be picked up in their school office and also at the Board of Health Office.

BETTERS

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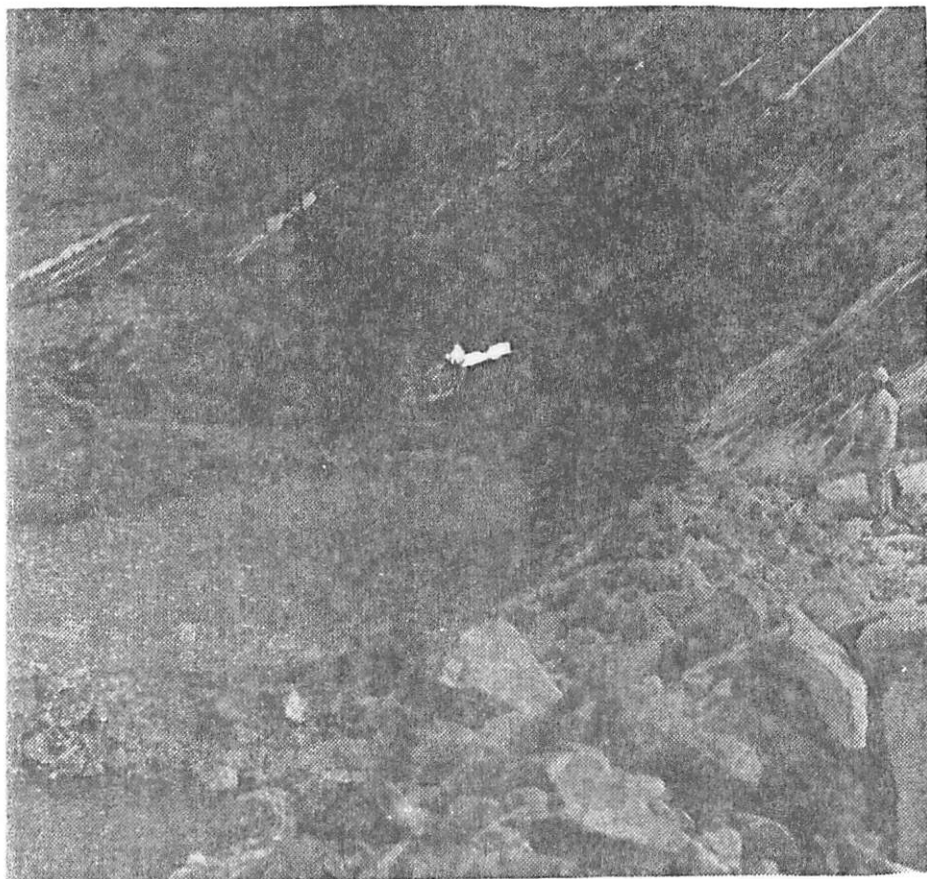
the dam. The lower tunnel will divert Strawberry River while the dam is being constructed. The upper tunnel was designed to enhance the fishery in Strawberry River below the dam. It will be used to release water with a higher oxygen content and at optimum temperatures for the fish preservation.

The abutments of the 254-foot-high dam are being cleared of loose material to firm foundation, then a 15-foot-deep key trench is being excavated in the bed rock in which a concrete grout cap is placed to prevent leakage through the abutments of the dam. Mr. Al "Bud" Junger, Project Manager for the contractor stated that this work must be completed before embankment material can be placed in the dam.

A new road is also being constructed to permit access into the dam area on the east side after the reservoir is filled. Burgess Construction Company of Fairbanks, Alaska, is the prime contractor for construction of the dam and road.

STORAGE OF WATER behind Soldier Creek Dam will probably begin in 1973. A separate body of water will initially be formed behind the new dam until its water level approaches the level in the existing Strawberry Reservoir. The original Strawberry Dam will be breached to permit free water movement and one large reservoir will be created with a capacity of more than a million acre-feet. Filling of the reservoir will probably take several years, said Mr. DeLong.

Ceremonies are being planned for July 10 to formally recognize the beginning of construction of Soldier Creek Dam and Strawberry Reservoir Enlargement. Guest speakers will be Ellis L. Armstrong, Commissioner of the Bureau of Reclamation, and Edward Cliff, Chief of the Forest Service. The public is invited to attend these ceremonies at Soldier Creek Damsite.



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But at Strawberry camp, for instance, a posted notice told residents the water would remain on until shut off by court action.

At other camps, residents were informed that only trailers with self-contained water units would be permitted.

The swirling controversy had its good effects, too. Fish and game officers reported few incidents of littering and many cases of campers burying garbage or packing it for disposal at home.

Capsized Boat

"The only litter I saw was a floating gas can from a capsized boat," laughed one conservation officer. The unlucky boater launched from Clark's Camp and forgot to install his drain plug. He was drenched but safe.

As of late Saturday conservation officers had issued no citations for littering.

Wasatch County law officers who had been expected to enforce the no-camping rule weren't at the reservoir Saturday.

Fishing was excellent until about 9 a.m. when storm clouds and wind pushed most boaters off the lake. It rained until 11 a.m., then calmed down. By late afternoon the clouds disappeared and the sun was shining.

Early Hours

Fish and game officers counted 1,400 boats during the early hours compared to 1,700 last year. There were slightly more than 4,000 shore fishermen compared to 5,000 a year ago.

The fish were generally smaller this year with many limits including fish around 12 inches. A 3½-pound cutthroat was the largest fish checked, though several fish in the two-pound class were caught.

County Health Department Notice

As set down by the Utah handlers, beauticians and barbers in the county for tuberculosis. Therefore we have set the following times and dates for testing:

TEST

Monday, July 26th 6 to 8 a. m.
10 to 12 Noon
3 to 5 p. m.
Tuesday, July 27th 9 to 12 a.m.
4 to 6 p. m.
Wed. July 28th 10 to 12 Noon
3 to 5 p. m.

READING

Wed., July 28th 6 to 8 a.m.
10 to 12 Noon
3 to 5 p. m.
Thur., July 29th 9 to 12 Noon
4 to 6 p. m.
Friday, July 30 10 to 12 Noon
3 to 5 p. m.

Testing and reading will take place in the Health Department Office in the Court House. Certification and testing will cost \$1.00 per person each year.

WASATCH COUNTY
HEALTH DEPARTMENT

25 North Main Street
Heber City, Utah



Amblyopia Clinic Slated by 9/23/71 Health Dept.

A Lazy Eye (amblyopia) Clinic will be held this Friday for four and five-year-old pre-school children.

Children develop their vision by using their eyes. This occurs up until the age of seven years. If one eye is crossed, or near-sighted, or far-sighted, that eye will not be used and consequently will not develop vision. This must be detected before the age of seven so that the condition may be corrected and the child will use both eyes.

This is important because there is always the possibility of injury to the good eye at some time, leaving the child blind in both eyes.

Vision is so important in our social relationships as well as in learning the "3R's". Please bring your 4 and 5 year-old pre-school child to the County Courthouse on Friday, September 17th between 9:00 A. M. and 12:00 Noon and let us help your child. Free.

Symposium on Drugs - Alcohol Set for Heber City

Nov 1971

As a follow-up of the EPDA Drug Education Project "Live-It", held in Park City on November 2-6, there will be a symposium on Drug and Alcohol Abuse in Heber City. The seminar, sponsored by the Wasatch County School District, will be held on February 3rd. The theme is "an ounce of prevention". Membership of the conference will involve approximately 160 local citizens. Among them will be the school district administrators and faculty and PTA representatives. Also various local organizations, civic groups, and county or state agencies, such as the board of health, county commissioners, city council, etc., are being invited to attend.

SEVERAL NOTED SPEAKERS well acquainted with drug and alcohol abuse in Utah will be present to give their observations and comments. Also, a youth panel and group discussions will be held. The major emphasis will be preventative in orientation as an attempt to determine what student or adolescent problems exist in this community and what preventative or alternative measures can and should be taken to help alleviate such problems.

BECAUSE OF THE structure of the initial clinic, attendance will be by invitation only. Certainly, the community will understand and be receptive when other conferences and followup projects are undertaken. Limiting alcohol and drug abuse in our county can only be done through the combined efforts of all, including the community, school, and church. Hopefully, the February conference will be able to establish some sort of guide lines, policies, and programs that can be effective in combating this rising problem among our young people.

Cerebral Palsy Victim Needs Used Typewriter

Today there is a young lady at the Heber Valley Care Center who suffers from cerebral palsy. She is handicapped to the point of being unable to communicate to other people by speaking. She is unable to use her hands. But this young lady has developed her ability to use her feet. She paints very well by using crayons with the toes of her right foot.

It is believed that if she had a typewriter she could master the use of it to communicate to the world. It has been done before. If there is a useable old typewriter around let's see what she can do with it.

Maybe she will be writing her own story or poem by this time next year. Who will give her that chance?

If you have an old typewriter you would like to donate or sell

Typewriter Given to Cerebral Palsy Victim

There was a wonderful response to the article "Cerebral Palsy Victim Needs Used Typewriter" which appeared in last week's Wave.

Friday afternoon, an excellent electric typewriter was delivered to the young lady who suffers from this disease. She is greatly handicapped, unable to communicate with speech and unable to control her hands. She paints with her feet using crayons.

She was excited and enthusiastic and within minutes after the County Health Nurse had set up the typewriter and explained to her how to use it, she was writing her name perfectly.

Jan 13, 1972

Free Clinic Vaccine Available

The Wasatch County Health Department will again have Immunization Clinics every other Friday starting February 11th through May 25th, 1972. They will be held at the Court House in Heber City from 11 A. M. to 12:30 P. M. for adults, preschoolers, and kindergarten children. Other school children will be bussed in. Children who are to receive an immunization must bring with them a Vaccine Request Form with the correct amount of change in an envelope. Each elementary school child will receive such a form one to two days prior to each clinic.

Junior and Senior High School

Free 10, 1972

student may pick them up, along with other printed immunization information at their schools.

This year the State Health Department made available some vaccines to use without cost. The Red measles immunization and the polio vaccine (which is given by mouth) will be given without charge. Red measles may be a serious disease for children & may cause pneumonia and encephalitis afterwards. Red measles is not German measles or Rubella which may cause birth defects. Red measles is also called Rubella or 6-day measles. This vaccine will be given Feb. 11th

only. Polio vaccine will not be given February 25th due to the fact that it might cause a Red measles immunization to be ineffective if given within two weeks.

Polio has still not been completely eradicated and those who are not immune may still acquire the disease. The U. S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare has reported that there were 32 cases of paralytic polio with two deaths from it in 1970 in the U.S. compared to 19 cases the previous year. Please check your immunization records and if you have not been adequately immunized come and "play it safe".

Other immunizations to be given are DPT (diphtheria, pertussis, tetanus) DT (diphtheria, tetanus); Tetanus; Typhoid (all 50c each); also Tick (Rocky Mt. Spotted Fever) for \$1.00. There were 380 cases of this in the U.S. in 1970. No smallpox vaccinations will be given this year. There have been no cases in the U. S. and it is felt that the illness sometimes resulting from the vaccination outweighs the benefits from general immunization.

For further information call the County Health Department: 654-2102. Printed information about doses, boosters, etc., may be obtained at the Courthouse or schools.

I did it again . . . just as I had for several years in the past. This time I was assigned to the Knickerbocker Hotel in Harlem, New York City. For the next two months I would care for those people who would be stricken with poliomyelitis this Fall. Every years many unsuspecting people would find themselves becoming tired, perhaps have a headache, upset stomach, stiff back, and then . . . a little paralysis would begin to develop. Within hours, or a day they would be unable to use an arm, leg, or both, or worse yet, their diaphragm.

I had saw one woman come into the hospital with a headache and stiff back. Within hours she was gasping for breath. She was placed into a respirator, also called an "iron lung". The color came back into her face and she was able to relax as the machine breathed for her.

One handsome, well built, 35-year-old man, had been traveling from New York to Los Angeles with two other men. They drove day and night and took turns driving. His arm felt tired and he thought he had driven too long. When I saw him both arms and legs were paralyzed. He had to be fed, turned, have his nose scratched, etc.

A seventeen-year-old high school senior was stricken, too. He was going to graduate with honors, was considered the school athlete, and was planning on entering medical school. His emotional problems now were as severe as his physical ones.

I had signed up with the National Polio Foundation again and would care for these people during the acute phase of their illnesses. This consisted to a large part of the application of Kenny hot packs, positioning them so that contractures of the muscles would not develop, listening to them, talking and doing the many things that they could not do for themselves. Afterwards they would be taken to a Rehabilitation Center and

where they would undergo prolonged physiotherapy, exercises and etc., so that they will regain some use of their limbs. Some may remain in the respirator for the rest of their lives. Dr. Salk discovered a vaccine. Most people took advantage of this. Dr. Sabin developed one that could be taken by mouth. We had polio LICKED . . . so we thought. In 1969 there were 19 cases of polio in the U.S.

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Two people died . . . I doubt that we will ever have epidemics as previously. BUT NO ONE NEEDS IT. Those people who develop a communicable disease do so because they do not have immunity to it, either by having the disease, or by being immunized against it. Polio can be eradicated especially when eating a sugar cube with two drops of vaccine on it is such an easy way to be immunized.

Are you interested in some other statistics? The Annual Morbidity and Mortality Summary for 1970 (Published by the National Center for Disease Control), states that there were 148 tetanus cases in the U.S.; 380 tick cases; 346 cases of Typhoid; 435 people had diphtheria compared to 230 in 1969; and 47,351 people were reported as having the RED measles. How many were not seen by a physician and consequently not reported?

Fifty to one hundred years and longer ago many children died because of complications from communicable diseases. This is no longer true. But these illnesses are not completely eradicated until EVERYONE is immune to them, one way or another.

MAREN DURTSCHI, R.N.

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MINUTES OF WASATCH COUNTY HEALTH BOARD

April 17, 1972

12:00 Noon

Wagon Wheel Cafe

Present were: Chairman, Dr. Larry B. Duke; Sanitarian, Clyde Broadbent; County Physician, Dr. R. Raymond Green; Sylvester Allen, Nelson Taylor and Lawrence Johnson of the Strawberry Water Users Association; and LaVar Ware of the State Wildlife Resources Division.

Minutes: Minutes of meeting held April 3, 1972, were read by secretary, Melba Duke, and approved by the board.

Sanitation: Mr. Broadbent reported there were numerous sanitation problems throughout the county. He and Mr. Michie will meet this coming Wednesday and inspect several of these problems.
Dr. Duke reported a letter was sent to Mr. Schlueter regarding his sanitation problem. (See attached copy)

Strawberry: Mr. Allen reported Strawberry Water Users will not allow anymore building in Strawberry Valley.
Mr. Taylor reported it will cost \$3,000 to rent 100 portable toilets for opening week-end. He also stated that those who rent toilets, felt that we were planning on more than is necessary.
After some discussion Dr. Green recommended we cut the number of toilets required to 50 for opening day instead of the previous figure of 100. Also cut number required ^{for}₂₅ for holiday week-ends to 10 or 15 instead of the previously mentioned.
Mr. Taylor stated in order to defray cost of toilets Strawberry Water Users would like to charge a fee to fisherman. In order to do this they would need more help on opening day. They would like help from our county sheriff department as well as the jeep posse.
The garbage problem was discussed. It was suggested three large containers be purchased and placed in convenient areas around the lake. These containers when full, could be hauled to the county sanitary land fill.
Mr. Taylor suggested in order to defray the cost of containers and hauling that Wasatch County pay 2/5 Strawberry Water Users 2/5 and the State 1/5 of cost involved.
Mr. Broadbent will check with County Commissioners, Strawberry Water Users will check with cabin owners, and Mr. Ware will check with the state in this matter.

Next Meeting: Mr. Taylor will schedule another meeting in the near future and invite the following: Wasatch County Board of Health, Commissioners, Sheriff; Strawberry Water Users, Mr. Ware and State Health Officials.

Meeting adjourned.

Chairman

MINUTES OF THE WASATCH COUNTY HEALTH BOARD

April 20, 1972

10:00 P:M:

High School Civic Auditorium

Present were:

Chairman, Dr. Larry B. Duke; County Health Director, Dr. R. Raymond Green; Public Health Nurse, Maren Durtschi; Douglas Edwards, Douglas Merkley; Sanitarian, Clyde Breadbent; Planner Dale Berg; Commissioners Russell Wall and Neil Duke; Sheriff Floyd Witt; Attorney James Smedley Strawberry Water Users Representatives, Nelson Taylor and Lawrence Johnson; LaVare Ware of State Wildlife Resources Division; and Ellis Schields of the State Health Department.

Dr. Duke:

Dr. Duke called the meeting to order and explained the purpose of the meeting was to get a commitment from SWU as to how they expect to comply to minimum health standards at strawberry.

Mr. Taylor:

Mr. Taylor stated he had checked into the possibility of renting portable toilets it will cost \$3,000 to rent 100 portable toilets but felt from information he has received that 50 would be sufficient.

Dr. Green:

After some discussion and on the previous discussion of last meeting, Dr. Green made a motion that SWU provide 50 portable for opening weekend and 15 portable for other three day holiday weekend July 4th, 24th and Labor Day. Comm Wall seconded the motion. Motion

Mr. Schields:

Mr. Schields stated the county is authorized to enforce county health codes and are expected to

Mr. Taylor:

Mr. Taylor stated the SWU will water to any new trailers or buildings area. He also stated in order to build toilets it will be necessary to fisherman. He asked for suggestions this could be done.

Sheriff Witt:

Sheriff Witt stated it was on a public road. He suggested be built so fisherman could road to their fee.

Mr. Taylor:

Mr. Taylor stated there is an area concerning motor and would like some help in this area.

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Sheriff Witt: Sheriff Witt suggested they contact the news media in this problem.

Mr. Ware: Mr. Ware reported his division will help with policing as they have in the past.

It was suggested Sheriff Witt contact the jeep posse and have them inspect and cover the camping areas once or twice per year.

Mr. Taylor: Mr. Taylor stated they would like some help in the garbage problem. He suggested the county pay 2/5, SWU 2/5 and state 1/5 of cost of buying large containers and having garbage hauled.

Mr. Duke: Commissioner Duke stated he felt if strawberry water users are collecting a fee from the fisherman they should include enough to cover the cost of garbage and be responsible in this area. He also stated the \$1.00 fee charged each county resident is for the use of the sanitary land fill, not for the hauling of garbage.

Meeting adjourned at 11:10 P.M.

Chairman